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Applicant : Nobuyasu SAKAI
Serial No. : 09/869,774
Filed : July 2, 2001
For : VIBRATION ACTUATOR HAVING
AN ELASTIC MEMBER BETWEEN
A SUSPENSION PLATE AND A
MAGNETIC CIRCUIT DEVICE
Art Unit : 2832
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Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims
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